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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **KOBAYASHI, Arei et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2176**

Serial No.: **10/025,610**

Examiner: **NGUYEN BA, Paul H.**

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For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CODE PROCESSING OF DOCUMENT DATA**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**  
**- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -**  
**GROUP ART UNIT 2176**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**August 1, 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **May 18, 2005**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.